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Dear Mr. Gilbert:

Although I should be busily developing our Long Range Plan, capitalizing on the most helpful insight so generously donated by you and your staff, I do want to express my sincere thanks for your recent hospitality.

The briefing and discussion provided by Jack Arnston, Raleigh Knight, et al, was both interesting and thought provoking, and I'm sure that whatever I finally generate will reflect a healthy sprinkling of concepts espoused by you, and voiced through them and your "blueprint."

Please extend to Jack, Raleigh, Bill and Randy my appreciation of their time and openness in helping me get a better handle on this elusive subject of ADP planning.

Sincerely,

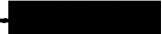
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